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The Board of Appeals has affirmed the examiner in part and reversed the examiner in part regarding application 09/163,207.

The rejections of dependent claims 7 and 8, and independent claim 18 were reversed.

Claim(s) 7 and 8 is/are incomplete because the claim(s) on which it/they depend(s) from has/have been cancelled by the examiner in accordance with MPEP § 1214.06. Applicant is given a ONE MONTH TIME LIMIT from the date of this letter in which to present claim(s) 7 and 8 in independent form. NO EXTENSIONS OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) WILL BE GRANTED. Failure to comply with this deadline will result in cancellation of claim(s) 7 and 8 and this application will be: allowed with claim 18.

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